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For: INHIBITORS OF DIPEPTIDYL-AMINOPEPTIDASE TYPE IV

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Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136

A one (1) month extension of time, from July 10, 2004, to and including August 10, 2004, is requested to respond to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers, mailed May 10, 2004, in the above-referenced application. Please find enclosed a check in the amount of \$55.00 to cover the fee for this extension.

Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayments that may be required to our Deposit Account No. 03-1721.

Respectfully submitted,


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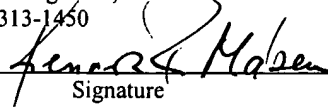
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